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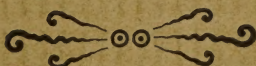
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ANNUAL REPORT  
OF THE  
TOWN OF CANTERBURY

For the year ending

February 15, 1911.







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ANNUAL REPORT  
OF THE  
TOWN OFFICERS  
OF THE TOWN OF  
CANTERBURY  
COMPRISING THOSE OF THE  
SELECTMEN, TREASURER, TOWN  
CLERK, SCHOOL-BOARD and  
LIBRARIAN.  
FOR THE YEAR ENDING  
FEBRUARY 15, 1911.

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KENDALL & GILMAN, PRINTERS,  
Belmont, N. H.  
1911.

# Town Officers.

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## SELECTMEN

FRANK L BROWN  
LOWELL T MASON  
E WESTON DOW

## TOWN CLERK

ALFRED H BROWN

## TREASURER

ALFRED H BROWN

## SCHOOL BOARD.

JEANNETTE B MORRILL  
ELMER B OSGOOD  
W C TALLMAN.

## TAX COLLECTOR

CHESTER E HEATH

## BOARD OF HEALTH.

WILLIAM W WHEELER,  
HENRY W HUTCHINS

## CONSTABLE

HOWARD S CHUTE

## LIBRARIAN

ELIZABETH F HOUSER

## AUDITORS

FRANK P DOW  
WM. W. WHEELER.

*Warrant for annual Town Meeting.*

[L.S.] *State of New Hampshire.*

To the inhabitants of the town of Canterbury in the County of Merrimack, in said state, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Canterbury on Tuesday the fourteenth day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriation of the same.
3. To see if the town will vote to harden the highway from the foot of Pillsbury Hill, to residence of John B Carter.
4. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to appoint one, two or three road agents.
5. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of forty dollars for the salary of the Librarian.
6. To see if the town will vote to have all stones and rubbish raked in piles by the roadside, immediately hauled to some proper place and dumped, not left to make the roads worse than before, or thrown back at the side of the road to slip back and be worked over again.
7. To see if the town will vote to give John M Colby the right to construct a private telephone line from his residence to the residence of O L Colby.
8. To see if the town will vote to apply for state aid for highways.

Given under our hands and seal this 25th day of Feb., in the year of our Lord, 1911

FRANK L BROWN,	} Selectmen of Canterbury
LOWELL T MASON,	
E WESTON DOW.	



# Selectmen's Report.

INVOICE AS TAKEN APRIL 1 1910.

171 Polls	\$17100.00
Real Estate	362640.00
212 Horses	17580.00
24 Oxen	1565.00
442 Cows	11630.00
119 Neat	2341.00
197 Sheep	808.00
Portable Mills	2100.00
Money at Interest	8525.00
Stock in Trade	31600.00
Things not designated	900.00

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\$456,789.00

Soldier's Reduction 4064.00

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\$452,725.00

Amount of Taxes raised 9327.66

State Tax	\$1,386.00
County Tax	1,393.36
Highways	2,602.91
Library	69.30
Schools	2,432.50
To pay town charges	1,443.59

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\$9,327.66



# Treasurer's Report.

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Balance on hand	\$1133.19
Received of C F Adams collector	86.00
"    Iona Savings Bank loan	985.00
A H Brown dog license	148.25
County Orders	82.52
S W Lake plank	2.43
C N Clough declaration	2.00
C E Morrill    "	1.00
H L Brown    "	2.00
R S Morrill    "	1.00
W C Tallman    "	1.00
State act, fighting fires	30.35
G M Fletcher declaration	1.00
Estate Emily Clough in trust	200.00
State act, R R tax	118.99
Savings Bank tax	1895.52
Literary Fund	68.67
School Fund	10.66
W H Chaplain cemetary lot	5.00
H Drew    "    "	5.00
J W Houser act, pipe	9.66
L T Mason dynamite	10.56
Iona Savings Bank tax loan	988.75
C E Heath, collector	9284 12
"    interest	22 92
"    abatements	45 89

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Total,	\$15,141 48
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Paid County tax	\$1,393 36
A T Cass, temporary loan	2,000 00
State tax,	1,386 00
Town orders,	9,354 76
Outstanding order,	1 50
C E Heath, abatement	45 89
Balance in Treasury	959 97

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Total,	\$15,141 48
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# Town Orders.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

Paid Thompson & Hoague, supplies	\$ 3 80
S W Lake, pruners	2 00
J E Brown, blacksmith work	1 05
W B Ranney, print. town reports	28 00
John Hadlock, rep. road machine	17 60
A H Brown, transmitting records	3 00
Martin & Howe, legal advice, trial Dearborn case	32 00
Hoyt elect. works, rep. generator	2 00
L T Mason, rep. water tub	4 75
“ posts	10 80
G P Morrill, decorating purposes	15 00
Fowler's drug store, supplies	2 40
W C Lamprey, blacksmith work	8 50
A H Brown, issuing dog licenses	9 40
H W Houser, repairing town hall	36 00
S W Lake, pruners	2 00
E C Eastman, supplies	3 84
D W Fox, hardware	13 81
E L Batchelder, bridge plank	36 99
A H Brown, transmitting records	5 00
E H Bryant, supplies	6 70
J R Dearborn, tile	5 60
John Nudd, clean. town hall	5 20
G H Gale, sharp. drills	1 45
G W Drake, labor town hall	2 00
Arthur Bruce, plank	5 40
E C Eastman, sup. order books	6 00
E H Bryant, hardware	3 20
Fowler's drug store, paint town hall	10 10
Foote Brown & Co, supplies	4 07
A H Brown, transmitting records	2 50
W C Lamprey, blacksmith work	4 90
CM & A W Rolfe, lumber	4 22
Alfred Brown, transmitting records	4 00
J F French, care of hall	25 00
Morrill & Emery, bridge plank	9 14
Alfred Brown, transmitting records	8 25



Paid Canterbury Store Co., supplies	\$ 1 94
F W Sanborn, dynamite	49 10
H W Hutchins, paint. hall	20 58
E A Cogswell, lamps for hall	17 76
O W Dow, railing culvert	2 00
Jas F French, care of hall	15 00
“ grade	1 00
Thompson & Hoague, supplies	9 40
Warren Chaplain, grade	16 50
Chas Payson, express	90
Fred Kurr, sawing wood	82
Caunerbury Store Co., wrappers	2 00
Alfred Brown, transmitting records	2 75
W A Megrath, ret. births and deaths	1 50
W C Lamprey, blacksmith work	4 85
Alfred Brown, ret. births deaths and marriages	5 10
O L Colby, freight, laying tile	1 50
B & M RR, freight	2 25
Total	<hr/> \$499 48

# PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT MISERY ROAD.

Paid H W Johnson, labor	\$79 65
N D Dow,	9 50
Joseph Clark,	6 12
Harry Jourery	7 87
Frank Glaudy	24 50
Joseph Brake	43 26
“ horse	6 25
Levi Clement	11 37
A Lebarnes	21 87
“	26 00
Andrew Berry	45 50
Fred Glaudy	20 12
George Bonnor	19 25
Fred Brake	21 87
John Foster	16 18
Henry Robie	12 25
Arthur Hayes	11 37
Alec Shepard	26 25
John Laughlin	24 50
Robert Coughlin	10 50
E M Lyford, oxen	27 00
C Clark	4 50
Amos Corbrial	1 50
Joe Corbrial	1 50

Paid E W Dow	\$8 00
J Clark	3 75
N H Dow	3 75
F L Brown	34 50
W Y Sargent	3 00

Total	\$531 68
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# ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Paid W C Tallman,	\$4 38
Scott Sargent	5 65
Charles Gilman	8 25
Otis Starkweather	1 50
L. J. Pickard	15 75
H W Deos	11 50
J W Rogers	4 30
W G Cotteryl	2 02
E N Lefeaw	10 10
J Cogswell	6 75
C F Plastridge	8 62
H E Cushing	1 37
L D Morrill	4 85
G M Fleecher	10 30
A B Clough	1 00
F P Cass	2 80
E W Dow	7 00
Ralph R Roundy	7 50
H G Clough	7 00
W H Muzezy	14 00
W C Lamprey	2 18
A J Dearborn	17 00
Robert Wilson	4 80
G A Morrill	5 60
J W Houser	5 50
D M Clough,	21 00
G W Morgan,	3 60
E G Heath	12 57
Alex Davison	7 15
F L Brown	5 45
R C Roundy	20 55
Robert Wilson	3 30
R B Roundy	8 70
George Slack	3 30
Ralph Roundy	7 35
Charles Gilman	4 80
George Blanchard	8 80
J Tucker	3 30



Paid J B Foster,	\$65 78
H W Johnson, labor	70 42
"        cash paid out	14 52
E W Snow	41 10
Joseph Clark	36 45
Frank W Chase	6 64
F P Cass	10 60
N H Dow, team	40 50
O J Starkweather	7 95
Lewis Dockham	5 25
T L Brown, team	2 50
Benton Morgan	6 45
Harry Drew	1 50
J O Chase	18 00
Harley Brown	8 25
W Morgan	1 50
Fred O Potter	75 00
Ralph Noyes	3 00
Norman Tobine	4 39
Almon J Small	1 75
Grant Butcher	75
Seban Johnson	3 00
Eric Johnson	3 00
R Wescott	2 85
L J Pickard	4 00
R R Noyes	13 50
B G Wheeler	9 00
Grant Butcher	13 50
Walter Plastridge	6 00
O L Colby	5 50
J Scales	12 75
F P Cass	63 14
O J Starkweather	48 75
Joseph Clark	3 00
E Snow	3 00
W Y Sargent	24 30
H Johnson	4 00
H Deos	35 88
A Chute	57 75
G M Fletcher	49 00
Fred Kurr	6 00
L T Mason	28 75
"	26 25
H N Lamprey	3 00
H Deos	8 75
V L Pickard	1 50

Paid F S Sargent	\$24 25
S B Flanders	3 00
A Sargent	7 50
G F Blanchard	15 50
John Colburn	21 00
J Tucker	7 50
E Sleeper	5 00
H S Chute	4 00
H L Brown, sewer pipe	7 00
“ bolts, spikes, rails	13 00
“ labor on highway	74 92
Henry Clark “	30 00
Frank Haven	17 75
G Gleason	26 50
J Foster	3 00
Woodbury Grover	1 75
Ernest Lawrence	1 50
B G Wheeler	1 50
E F Kimball	84 00
Everett Kimball	5 25
C E Morrill	15 12
John Nudd	6 00
G Hatch	3 75
L J Pickard	21 52
John Colburn	23 66
E G Heath, labor on highway	11 25
A Grover “	4 37
C E Heath	9 75
Alex Davidson	6 50
P J Webber	5 25
George Goodhue	5 25
L A Glines	12 75
George Bean	12 75
G Fletcher	13 50
John Lyford	12 38
E W Dow	118 00
N Dow	31 50
H G Clough	110 50
F P Cass, for breaking roads	3 75
Charles Gilman “	75
E Dow “	3 00
W H Muzzey “	5 50
J B Foster “	10 38
F O Potter “	4 50
F L Brown “	3 50
G Fletcher “	4 00



Paid A J Dearborn for breaking roads	\$6 25
H Johnson	6 10
H G Clough	4 12
H L Brown	5 10
J Clark	3 00
F P Cass	3 00
Henry Deos	3 25
E Snow	3 00
H Johnson	3 50
O J Starkweather	3 00
J B Foster	3 50
Vivian Pickard	2 25
Sturling Hurtle	2 62
Ernest Lawrence	12 00
Charles Peverly	3 00
W Morgan	4 50
Ed Miner	2 25
H G Clough	27 13
A B Chute	22 50
Total	<hr/> \$2,071 23

#### FIGHTING FOREST FIRES.

Paid S L Weeks	\$6 00
A L Bennett	1 25
L Parent	9 40
Frank Parent	9 40
H Hancock	6 00
George Mudgett	3 00
L T Mason	7 00
Arthur Bruce	8 00
Chas. Judkins	1 25
George Burbank	2 00
Alvin Prescott	2 40
F L Brown	3 00
E W Dow	2 00
	<hr/> \$60 70

#### LABOR IN CEMETERIES.

Paid H W Hutchins	\$1 50
F P Cass	3 60
Henry Deos	1 50
F L Brown	1 00
	<hr/> \$7 60

# CEMETERIES.

Kimball fund	\$217 87
Interest	8 43
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	\$226 30
Paid H W Deos for labor, 1909	\$1 50
F L Brown " 1910	1 00
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	\$2 50
Amount of fund Feb. 15, 1911	\$223 80
Dearborn Fund,	\$51 15
Interest	\$1 78
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	\$52 93
Paid H W Hutchins for labor	\$1 50
Amount of fund Feb. 15, 1911	\$51 43
Clough fund	\$53 56
Interest	1 87
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Amount of fund Feb. 15, 1911,	\$55 43
Neal fund	\$102 40
Interest	3 58
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Amount of fund Feb. 15, 1911,	\$105 98

# BROWN TAIL MOTHS.

Paid Alcide St. Pierre	\$6 50
G Lambert	4 00
R Roundy	22 00
R B Roundy	22 00
P J Webber	12 75
L J Pickard	5 90
C E Heath	17 10
J L Morrill	17 60
R Lawrence	14 25
Everett Kimball	18 20
F P Cass	4 80
J Houser	8 50
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Total	\$153 60



### OVERTAX PAID BY ORDERS.

C L Miller, illegal tax	\$ 2 04
A H Brown	18 36
S B Flanders	4 08
S W Lake	6 12
C N Clough	1 50
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Total,	\$32.10

### DAMAGE BY DOGS.

Paid C H Ayers	\$ 3 00
David Sanborn	12 00
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Total	\$15 00

### WATER TUBS.

Paid F P Dow, 1909-10	\$6 00
R G Wheeler	3 00
John Nudd	3 00
H L Clough, 1909 two tubs	6 00
“ 1910 “	6 00
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Total,	\$24 00

### AID TO POOR.

Paid for Moses Wilson	\$82 52
Transient	5 50
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Total	\$88 02

### NOTES AND INTEREST.

Paid A B Chute, interest on Elkins and Whidden fund	\$52 00
Mrs Sarah J Seavey	157 62
Mrs C F Emery	36 77
Iona Savings Bank, interest on temorary loan	15 00
A J Dearborn	2,110 45
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Total	\$2,371 84

### ABATEMENTS.

H W Johnson, 1909	\$1 78
Joseph McGibbons, 1909	1 78
George McDaniel	2 04
Charles Pickard	2 04
G A Muzzey	2 94
Mrs Grace Stillings, illegal tax	14 28

Richard Emery, overtax	\$13 77
G W Dow                   “	2 04
Joseph Jones	6 12
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Total	\$45 89

# RUBBLE

Paid A S Holmes	\$18 75
R C Roundy	41 40
R B Roundy	10 40
R W Roundy	8 30
L T Mason	18 00
B F Varney	151 36
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Total,	\$248 21

# TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid S K Boyce, auditor	\$2 00
H W Hutchins, auditor	2 00
J B Foster, supervisor	26 00
G H Gleason, selectman	12 00
Elizabeth F Houser, librarian	20 00
W C Tallman, supervisor	22 50
G M Fletcher, constable	4 00
F P Dow, ballot clerk	4 00
B G Wheeler,       “	2 00
Henry W Deos, gate keeper	4 00
E W Dow, moderator	4 00
L T Mason, selectman	20 50
G H Gleason, ballot clerk	2 00
A B Clough,       “	2 00
Chester E Heath, collector	120 35
H S Chute, ballot clerk	4 00
S W Lake,       “	2 00
C E Morrill, supervisor	16 00
“       “       ballot clerk	2 00
A H Brown, town clerk	25 00
“       “       treasurer	40 00
W W Wheeler, health officer	4 25
H W Hutchins,       “       “	2 00
F L Brown, selectman	86 00
“       “       overseer of poor	15 00
L T Mason, fire warden	30 00
“       “       selectman	64 75
E W Dow, selectman	50 00
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Total,	\$588 35

# SCHOOLS.

Raised by law	\$2,432 50
Literary money	68 67
Dog licenses	163 28
Total,	<u>\$2,664 45</u>

# RECAPITULATION.

Total Receipts,	\$15,141 48
Paid miscellaneous bills	\$499 48
Brown-tail moth	153 60
Overtax	32 10
Damage by dogs	15 00
Water tubs	24 00
Aid to poor	88 02
Forest fire	60 70
Cemeteries	7 60
Rubble	248 21
Town officers	588 35
Permauent improvement on highways	531 68
Highways	2,071 23
Schools	2,664 45
Abatements	45 89
State tax	1,386 00
County tax	1,393 36
Temporary loan	2,000 00
Notes and interest	2,371 84
Balance in treasury	959 97
	<u>\$15,141 48</u>

# LIABILITIES.

Mrs A B Chute	\$ 82 80
Adeline Dow	145 89
L M Pickard	194 40
C F Emery	310 63
S J Seavey	1,035 41
Shepard Phillips	1,615 17
G H Gleason	158 57
A J Dearborn	3,000 00
Mrs Ellen E Brown	586 17
Herbert L Brown	1,174 47
P C Clough	1,226 96
“	1,761 75
Shepard Phillips	1,072 03
Total	<u>\$12,364 25</u>



# ASSETS.

Cash in treasury Feb 15, 1911	\$959 97
Due from collector Adams	245 45
“ Lake	5 01
“ Heath	41 18
“ Ed Ames cemetery lot	5 00

Total \$1,256 61

# FUNDS IN TRUST.

J S Elkins fund	\$1,000 00
Ben Whidden fund	200 00
Kimball	223 80
Dearborn	51 43
Clough	55 43
Neal	105 98

FRANK L BROWN, }  
 LOWELL T MASON, } Selectmen  
 E WESTON DOW. }

# AUDITORS REPORT.

The undersigned chosen to audit the accounts of the Treasurer of the Library Trustees, the Selectmen and Treasurer of Canterbury for the year ending Feb 15, 1911, report that we find said accounts correctly cast and properly vouched.

W W WHEELER, }  
 FRANK P DOW. } Auditors.

# COLLECTOR'S REPORT.

Due from 1909	\$ 43 53
Whole amount committed for 1910	9,327 66
Whole amount due from Collector	9,371 19
Paid A H Brown, Treasurer	9,284 12
Abatements and overtax	45 89

Total, \$9,330 01

Balance due from Collector, \$41.18  
 Interest paid A H Brown 22.92

CHESTER E HEATH, Collector.

## LIBRARY REPORT.

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The following report for the year ending Feb 15, 1911, in respectfully submitted :

Number of books in library	1621
Accession by purchase	39
“ by gifts	7
Number of new cards issued	49
“ books given out	1221
Amount received from fines	\$1 00
No. out of town visitors	46

Miss Elizabeth Ordway of Boston presented the library with 5 books of fiction Mrs. Valeria Sargent gave a history of Belknap and Merrimac counties, and Leroy Glines gave a History of Lowell, Mass.

ELIZABETH F. HOUSER, Librarian

### TREASURER LIBRARY TRUSTEES.

1910, Feb 17, Balance in Treasury	\$8 07
Reced. of Selectmen	69 30
Miss C Ricketson	1 00
Total,	\$78 37

1910, Feb 24, Paid E C Eastman	\$1 11
Dec 20 “ “	20 74
July 1 “ Rumford Co. rebinding 4 vol.	1 00
Am. Ex. Co.	75
L A Glines, 2 blank books	50
Cash on hand Feb 25, 1911	54 27
Total	\$78 37

LEROY A GLINES.

# School District Report.

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Balance on hand Feb. 15 '10		\$266 80
Recd. of Mrs. J. B. Morrill supplies sold		55
"    Northfield tuition		20 63
"    town		2664 45
		\$2952 43
Paid for teaching,	\$1996 30	
"    music	12 00	
"    wood, conveyance, etc.	720 05	
	\$2728 35	
Balance on hand Feb. 15 '11		\$2240 08

*ALFRED H BROWN, Treas. School District.*

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Fiscal Year Ending Feb. 15, 1911.

### *Revenue.*

Amount required by law		\$1732 50
Assessed by selectmen for books and supplies		468
"    "    tuition in high schools and acad.		197
"    "    appurtenances for same		35
"    "    salaries of school board, truant, and other district officers		78
Literary fund, Dec. 1910		68 67
High school tuition rebate		10 66

Fiscal Year Ending Feb. 15, 1911.

### *Expenditures.*

Teachers salaries		\$1973
Free text books		97 59
Scholars' supplies		96 40
Reference books, maps etc.		5
High school and academy tuition		197
Transportation of pupils		112
Salaries and expenses of school board		108
Truant officer		35 25
Flags and appurtenances for same		81



Minor repairs	\$7 93
Janitor service	25 85
Fuel	67 50
Miscellaneous expensse not included above	104 33
Balance unexpended	224 08

Estimates for coming Fiscal Year Ending Feb. 15, 1912.

Money required by law	1732 50
Money required for text books and scholars supplies	468
“ “ high school and academy tuition	200
“ “ flags and appurtenances	5
Literary fund	68 67
Rebate for high school and academy tuition	10 66

## Report of Board of Education.

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*Report of Board of Education of the School District of Canterbury, and including a report of "The Keezer Seminary."*

We have the honor to submit the following report to the School District of Canterbury concerning the work of said board and such recommendations as in our judgment are wise for adoption in the interests of education and this School District.

We have maintained schools for thirty weeks the minimum number recommended by the State Supt. of Public Instruction and the maximum number permitted by our resources.

We have endeavored to so finance the District money as to be for the best interests of Education and the District, at the same time practicing economy where it was possible without transgressing greater interests.

We have been fortunate in securing the services of able and faithful teachers and their work has been excellent and parents, teachers and scholars have seemed to work together with greater interest than for some time.

Through failure on the part of the Honorable Board of Selectmen to assess two hundred dollars as voted at District meeting for repairs; there have been no repairs other than those immediately necessary for the health and comfort of the scholars. We recommend Art. eight of the school warrant and trust the District will see fit to raise and appropriate two hundred dollars for repairs, repairs to include interior and exterior painting and varnishing where needed and such other repairs as shall tend to keep the District property in a good state of preservation.

Transportation of scholars has been resorted to where it was deemed advisable and the scholars in the Intervale District have been conveyed to the Graded School at Boscawen, where a competent teacher was in charge under the supervision of an excellent local board. Tuition and conveyance in this case was less than half of what we could have possibly maintained a school for in that District. In Mr Cass we have found an able truant officer, and have been obliged to call on him in several habitual truency cases. We recommend article eleven of the school warrant for your consideration and believe that its adoption will have a tendency to lessen the number of truancy cases in this district.

During the Spring term Mr Depuy, formerly of Newton, Mass asked for permission to have at his own expense, a private tutor for his children, this request was granted and he secured the services of a competent teacher, formerly a teacher in our district schools; later in the year Mr Davis of Canterbury requested that he be permitted to have at his own expense a private tutor for his children, this request was also granted and he secured the services of a teacher that was satisfactory to this board, this teacher also, until recently, in the employ of this Board.

This Board of Education herewith respectfully request that hereafter all complaints arising in school matters shall be made to this Board in writing that they may more thoroughly investigate and adjust such troubles under this method than in any other way, this board is willing to meet any complainant for the adjustment of complaints concerning school work at any reasonable time with a short notice, but said Board hardly feel they can be expected to adjust neighborly differences.

The Board was called together at the Hill's Corner school last fall, there we found such vandalism as we have never heard of elsewhere, the piazza posts were chopped into with an axe, the sheathing over head was torn off in several places and skunks grease daubed on seats, desks and water pail, the damage was considerable, and had there been any positive evidence as to the miscreants the Board would have felt it their duty to prosecute, as it was we could only warn those we believed concerned in the matter.

There have been no expulsions from school this last year and little corporal punishment, the general average of deportment has been very satisfactory.

At the Kezer Seminary, school has been maintained thirty weeks under the supervision of Miss Elsa P Kimball. Miss Kimball was formerly a teacher in this district in the employ of a former Board of this district and we believe her a very able teacher, and believe she has done well by those intrusted to her for instruction. Miss Kimball has had nearly five years experience as a teacher and is a graduate of the Normal School at Plymouth.

The average of attendance at Kezer Seminary was 89, a very good average, and 12 children are reported not absent or tardy. Fourteen scholars have been accommodated at Kezer Seminary the past year and the rate of tuition is 30 cents per scholar per week, or about one-third the cost per 10 scholars of our district, and for less than 10 scholars, of course the rate increases. The accommodations and equipment at Kezer Seminary are considerably better than we are able to afford for the district schools and we heartily recommend the Kezer Seminary as an up-to-date



school, and believe the district would be unwise and ill-advised to make any change in that section of the school district. The number of visitors at Kezer Seminary including visits by members of the local board during the past year was an even 100 showing considerable interest is taken in the school and its work.

We believe the same amount asked for last year of the selectmen will be sufficient for this year and said sum will be stated in detail in another section of this report.

All of this report is herewith very respectfully submitted by The Board of Education for the School District of Canterbury.

## Roll of Perfect Attendance.

### SPRING TERM.

Wellington Edgett	John Davidson
Lillian M Edgett	Wallace Davidson
Myrtle I Edgett	Gordon L Tallman
Stella E Cushing	Myrtie M Beane
Lillian R Beede	Claribel E Chaplain
Floyd R Pineo	Arline S Huber
Dorothy M Bagley	Dorothy L Hutchins
Evelyn I Bagley	Mildred T Hutchins
Alice Bagley	Grace M Jackson
G Leonidas Bagley	Goldie I R Lindsay
Ira N Gove	Esther Weeks
Marion M Hirtle	Miriam G Wall
Geo D Peverly	Lurline L Snow
Dorothy Conant	Martin F Snow
Norman G Muzzey	

### FALL TERM

Ethel A Ambeau	Lillian M Edgett
Lurline L Snow	Mabel Merrill
Dorothy M Bagley	Edith G Morrill
Alice Bagley	Myrtie M Beane
Geo L Bagley	Ethel N Frost
Lillian R Beede	Margaret Hedges
Stella E Cushing	Grace Jackson
Wellington E Edgett	Mildred Hutchins

### WINTER TERM

David E Morrill	Luther K Edgett
Edna E Morrill	Hazel G Batcher
Edith G Morrill	Lillian R Beede
Frank Stone	Stella E Cushing
Joseph Stone	Ruth M Gilman
Mabel H Merrill	Ira B Matott
Osborne LeBeau	Beatrice A Small
Leoler F Houser	Alice Bagley
Wellington E Edgett	Evelyn I Bagley
Lillian M Edgett	Lurline L Snow
Myrtle I Edgett	Ethel A Ambeau
Jerry E Ambeau	Robert B Matott





# STATISTICAL TABLE

Schools	Terms	Name of Teachers	Wages per month	No. weeks	No. pupils	Av. daily attendance	No. not absent	Visits by parents and others	Visits by School B'd.
Blanchard	1	Ervine A. Cogswell	32	10	12	10.52	2	7	
	2	Mary A Perthel	32	15	11	9.22	2	10	1
	3	" "	32	3	11	9.32	5	4	1
Center	1	Jeanie F Hardy	28	10	13	12.01	3	50	4
	2	" "	32	15	20	15.93	4	30	2
	3	" "	32	3	16	15.67	13	16	1
Carter	1	Josephine B Morril	40	12	8	11.34	5	69	3
	2	Alice M Hale	40	15	11	9.30	3	25	2
	3	" "	40	3	12	8.25	3	4	1
Borough	1	Viola M Roundy	32	11	8	7.60	3	15	1
	2	Mary K Heath	32	12	8	7.41		19	1
	3	" "	32	6	8	6.27		4	1
Hackleboro	1	Mary A Perthel	32	12	11	8.25	1	13	2
	2	Mary C Butler	28	11	10	8.53	1	14	1
	3	" "	28	7	7	6.52	2	8	
Shaker	1	Emma B King	28	12	19	18.	9	43	3
	2	Jessie Evans	36	12	18	16.	5	8	
	3	" "	36						
Uplands	1	Alice M Hale	40	12	15	9.07	3	13	2
	2	Leona B Tyrrell	28	8	11	9.04	1	4	2
	3	Sherman E Phillips	32	10	11	8.03	1	8	
Kezer	1	Elsie P Kimball.		10	10	7.05	4	33	4

# BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF CANTERBURY FOR YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1910.

Date of Birth	Name of child, [if any.]	Sex and Condition.		No. of child 1st, 2d, etc.,	Color.	Name of Father.	Maiden name of Mother.	Color.	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father	Age of Mother
		Living or Stillborn	Sex.										
1909													
Dec. 23	Linton Leslie		M	2	All white	William Stone	Nellie Hannaford	All white	Lumberman	Hopkinton, Ms.	Rosewell		
Feb. 2	Caroline		F	3		Frank S. Davis	Nellie Philbrook		Farmer	Canterbury	Somerton		
Mar. 26	Evelyn May		F	2		Frank L. Brown	Hattie M. Brown		"	"	London		
May 8	Shirley		F	1		Guy E. Morrill	Caroline G. Clough		"	Canterbury	Canterbury		
June 23	Kenneth Franklin		M	5		Wm. H. Muzzey	Cora J. Adams		"	Canterbury	Sanape		
Aug. 6	Alvah Dearborn		M	2		Robert Wilson	Susan R. Dearborn		Laborer	Patterson N. J.	Canterbury		

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 ALFRED H. BROWN, Town Clerk.

# MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN TOWN OF CANTERBURY FOR YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1910

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age of each.	Color of each.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Name of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation.	What Marriage, 1st. 2d.	Name, and official station of person by whom married.
1910												
Feb 23	Northfield	Edwin M Lyford..... Florence J Sanders...	Canterbury Tilton.....	46 33		Farmer..... Folder.....	Canterbury... Alexandria...	Moses C Lyford..... Juliette Robinson..... Russell Gray..... Elizabeth..... Edwin G Heath..... Anna E Sanborn..... Geo F Kelley..... Adelia Jones..... John B Carter..... Susan Kelly..... James Martin..... Henrietta Lawton..... N W Lawrence..... Anna L Sargent..... Geo M Fletcher..... Lilla Grover..... Joseph Noe..... Sarah Lamway..... Frank Case..... Ellen E Marden..... Geo W Lake..... Emeline A Hill..... Cornelius M Hatch..... Eliza J Saunders.....	Canterbury... Gilmanton... Alexandria... Rochester... Bristol..... Canterbury... Gilmanton... Alton..... Canterbury... Bradford Vt... Wethersfield... Peascham Vt... Brighton Me... London..... Canterbury... "..... Fairfield Vt... Canada.....	Farmer..... Housekeeper... Farmer..... Housekeeper... Farmer..... Housewife..... Farmer..... Housewife..... Carpenter..... Housewife..... Farmer..... Housekeeper... Farmer..... Housekeeper... Farmer..... Housekeeper... Farmer..... Housekeeper... Retired..... Housekeeper... Housekeeper...	1 2	E R Phillips, Clergyman.
Apr 30	Gilmanton	Chester E Heath..... Mary A Kelley.....	Canterbury. Gilmanton.	23 25		Farmer..... Teacher.....	Canterbury...	Geo F Kelley.....	Canterbury...	Housewife...	1	F I Sargent, Clergyman
May 8	Canterbury	John B Carter..... Mary E Stevens.....	Canterbury. Lebanon....	63 65		Laborer..... Housekeeper...	Gilmanton... Chester Vt....	Susan Kelly..... James Martin..... Henrietta Lawton..... N W Lawrence..... Anna L Sargent..... Geo M Fletcher..... Lilla Grover..... Joseph Noe..... Sarah Lamway..... Frank Case..... Ellen E Marden..... Geo W Lake..... Emeline A Hill..... Cornelius M Hatch..... Eliza J Saunders.....	Bradford Vt... Wethersfield... Peascham Vt... Brighton Me... London..... Canterbury... "..... Fairfield Vt... Canada.....	Housekeeper... Farmer..... Housekeeper... Farmer..... Housekeeper... Farmer..... Housekeeper... Farmer..... Housekeeper... Retired..... Housekeeper... Housekeeper...	2 4	A. H. Brown, J. F.
Aug 14	Canterbury	Ernest L Lawrence... Laura M Fletcher....	London..... Canterbury..	25 21	All white	Farmer..... Housewife....	Brighton Me... Canterbury...	Anna L Sargent..... Geo M Fletcher..... Lilla Grover..... Joseph Noe..... Sarah Lamway..... Frank Case..... Ellen E Marden..... Geo W Lake..... Emeline A Hill..... Cornelius M Hatch..... Eliza J Saunders.....	Brighton Me... Canterbury...	Housekeeper... Farmer..... Housekeeper... Farmer..... Housekeeper... Farmer..... Housekeeper... Farmer..... Housekeeper... Retired..... Housekeeper... Housekeeper...	1 1	Frank E Rand, Clergyman.
Oct 15	Canterbury	Frank Noe..... Annie Case.....	Canterbury. "	22 14		Farmer.....	Northfield Vt... Canterbury..	Frank Case..... Ellen E Marden..... Geo W Lake..... Emeline A Hill..... Cornelius M Hatch..... Eliza J Saunders.....	Canada.....	Housekeeper...	1	D M Phillips, Clergyman.
Oct 26	Canterbury	Sam W Lake..... Bertha Hatch.....	" Mauden Ms.	43 47		Farmer..... Lady.....	Concord..... Deer Isle Me..	Emeline A Hill..... Cornelius M Hatch..... Eliza J Saunders.....	Canterbury... "..... Deer Isle Me.. "	Housekeeper...	1	Frank E Rand, Clergyman.

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# DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF CANTERBURY FOR YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1910.

Date of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased.	Age		Place of Birth	Sex.	Color.	Occupation.	Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden name of Mother.	Disease or cause of Death.
		Years.	Months.					Father.	Mother.			
Jan 2 10	Abbie E Colburn.....	63	4	19	Canterbury...	fe	m Housewife....	Canterbury...	Scotland.....	Nahum Blanchard.	Mary Talant.....	Apoplexy.
" 31	Janie Frame.....	71	1	9	Scotland.....	fe	"	Scotland.....	Belmont.....	Wm Paterson.....	Susan Hamilton ...	Urania.
Mar 1	Thos C Smith.....	74	11	16	Sanbornton....	m	w Farmer.....	Sanbornton.		Thos S Smith.....	Nancy Taylor .....	Bright's disease
" 24	Samuel A Morrill...	82	9	26	Canterbury...	m	w			Nathaniel Morrill.	Sally Morrill.....	Bronchitis
" 23	Apphia A Sargent...	88	1	19	"	fe	Housewife....	Canterbury.		Solomon Young...	Maria Morrill.....	Pneumonia
Apr 20	J O Starkweather.	74	4	17	"	m	"	Walpole.....	Concord ...	O J Starkweather.	Addie R Long.....	"
June 6	Albert Blanchard.	74	4	17	"	m	w Farmer .....	Canterbury.	London .....	Nahum Blanchard.	Mary Talant.....	Tuberculosis
Aug 7	Chas H Fletcher.	73	4	17	"	m	"	London .....	Canterbury.	John Fletcher....	Nancy St(air).....	Cancer
Aug 27	Ann Reynolds.....	78	6	15	Sanbornton...	fe	s Housekeeper.			Moses Emery.....	Sally W Gilman....	Cerebral hemorha
Sept 19	Abbie P Morrill...	64	6	15	Canterbury...	fe	s Farmer.....			Wm G Cotteryll...	Judith Moore .....	Cancer
Oct 3	Wm G Cotteryll...	58	5	26	England.....	m	s Farmer.....	Canada .....	Sutton.....	Austin Moore.....	Eliza Barnes.....	Accident
Oct 9	Carrie A Drew....	38	5	2	Grafton.....	fe	D Housewife...	"	Boscawen..	Geo W Bagley .....	Mary C Hanson....	Angina pectoris
Dec 14	Florence G Small.	45	3	31	Canterbury...	fe	"	"				Gen ansemia
Bodies brought to town for burial.												
Feb 3	Enoch Gibson .....	88	10	4	Canterbury...	m	w Farmer.....	Canterbury.	Canterbury.	Enoch Gibson.....	Nancy McCrillis....	Endocarditis.
Mar 30	Wm S Fields.....	73	7	1	Maine.....	m	w Manufacturer	London.....	Gilford.....	Marquis D Chaplin.	Martha Willis.....	Chron. Myocarditis
April 3	Alphens W Chaplin	73	7	1	Canterbury...	m	w	Canterbury.	Canterbury.	Asa Foster.....	Sara Morrill.....	Pneumonia
" 15	Caroline Foster...	94	4	2	"	fe	s None.....	Sanbornton.	Sanbornton.	Mark Prescott....	Sally Brown.....	Pulmonary Odems
Aug 25	Louisa P Fletcher	92	4	25	Sanbornton...	fe	w Housewife...					Exhaustion
Sept 18	Mary J Beck .....	78	8	18	Chelsea Mass.	fe	s Housekeeper.					Endocarditis
Dec 2	Noe .....	74	5	12	Poscawen .....	m	w Laborer .....			Fred G Noe.....	Olive French....	Asphyxiation
" 16	Jas F Noyes.....	74	5	12	Poscawen .....	m	w Physician ...			Stewart Noyes....	Climens Brown....	Aortic aneurism
" 28	Henry B Morrill...	69	9	23	Canterbury...	m	w			Joseph Morrill....		Hemorrhage.

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